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Sir:

Applicant's attorney submits herewith a Power of Attorney by Assignee and
Exclusion of Inventors under 37 C.F.R. §3.71.

Applicant's attorney does not believe any fees are associated with this transaction,
however the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees to our Deposit Account
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Respectfully submitted,

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